

REMARKS

Claims 1-21 are pending. By this Amendment, the Specification is amended to include continuity data. Further, the Title has been amended to better represent the claims.

The above amendments place the application in better condition for initial examination. Prompt consideration and allowance in due course are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,


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